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DX News

Info from T32NCC (by VE3LYC)

Chuck **(T32NCC)** is working to acquire a 65 ft power boat capable to allow him to offer charters to any of the islands of Kiribati, including all of the Southern Line, Phoenix, and Banaba. His goal is to offer transportation services to local scientists, radio amateur expeditions, sport fishing and diving enthusiasts starting early 2022. The boat will be able to accommodate up to 12 passengers and cargo, in addition to the crew, at an average cruising speed of 15-20 knots under 2.5 m ocean swell. Chuck will be able to charter from international airports in Kiribati and Samoa, and will provide hospitality support ashore. Those interested in carrying out radio expeditions in the region and in need of transportation services shouldn't hesitate to contact Chuck directly at line.islands@gmail.com



DX-World Radio Club Stations

GS5DX/P will be active on 20m during various times from June 28 to July 5, 2021. DX-World Radio Club was formed on September 18, 2019 with the principle aim of promoting DX-World – the world's biggest and best FREE DX News Service for DXers and enthusiasts.

KL7RRC Kiska Island NA-070 -update

For CW operation we will test SDC in a pileup mode with ExpertSDR integration, **no need to call on the same (last caller's) frequencies**. The bandwidth of SDC native skimmer is 50 Hz. Stay where you are, we know you calling, the operator will select your callsign. Three mouse clicks all is needed for a full QSO including logging in N1MM+. Looking forward for fun and very efficient operation with a high QSO rate! https://www.na-234.com/



This week on air

This can change daily, please visit https://www.dx-world.net/ for updates.

5N, NIGERIA Jean-Louis ZS6AAG is active as 5N7JLH, he works for Medecins Sans Frontiers based in Abuja. Activity until September 15. QSL via eQSL.

60, SOMALIA Ali, EP3CQ is once again active as 60100 until mid-July. Operation on HF using mostly FT8. See QRZ.com.

FG, GUADELOUPE Look for Michel F6GWV and Gildas F6HMQ as TO11A until July 5. Focus on 6 meter in 'holiday-style'. QSL via F6HMQ.

J2, DJIBOUTI Jeje, F8FKJ is operating as J20EE until mid-July. Operation on HF using CW and FT8. QSL via LoTW.

OJO, MARKET REEF Henri, OH3JR is operating as OJ0JR until July 4. Activity during his spare time mainly on 6 meter using CW, FT8 and maybe SSB. QSL via home call and Club Log.

OJO, MARKET REEF Look for Pertti, OG2M from Market Reef as OJ0MR until July 4. Main focus on 6m; CW, SSB and FT8. QSL via LoTW.

OX, GREENLAND Bo, OX3LX is once again operating from Greenland until July 10. Side trips to NA-151 and NA-220 are included. Operation on HF and 6 meter.

P4, ARUBA John, W2GD will be operating as P44W from July 6 until July 13. Operation on all bands during his spare time. An entry in the IARU HF World Championship is included. QSL via N2MM and LoTW.

VP2V, BRITISH VIRGIN ISL Frank, K3TRM will be active as VP2V/call from Tortola between July 4 and July 17. Operation from 40 to 6 meter using SSB, RTTY and FT8. QSL via home call.

VP5, TURKS & CAICOS Mario, I2HBW is once again active as VP5MA (ex VP5VMA) until end October. QSL via Club Log.

VP5, TURKS & CAICOS Tim, W3QP is active as VP5/call until July 2. Operation using a Lab599 TX500 transceiver and a End-fed half wave antenna.

VP8, FALKLAND ISLANDS Matthew, M0ZMS is seconded to the RAF station at Mount Pleasant until late August. Operation as VP8ZMS on HF using digital modes, CW with some SSB. QSL via home call and LoTW, logsearch on Club Log. https://twitter.com/vp8zms

XT, BURKINA FASO Harald, DF2WO is once again active from Ouagadougou as XT2AW until begin July. Operation on HF using SAT, CW, FT8 and maybe SSB. QSL see ORZ.com.

ZD7, **ST HELENA** Gerard, G3WIP is active until September 30 as ZD7GB. He works there as a doctor and will be active during his spare time. Updates to follow.

IOTA

This week on air

EUROPE

EU-008 Isle of Lismore Paul, G4PVM is active in 'holiday-style' until July 4. Operation from 40 to 10 meter using CW and SSB. QSL via Club Log and LoTW.

EU-050 San Domino Isl Franco, IZ5IUY and Luca IK5AEQ are operating as IL7/calls until July 8. Operation from 40 to 6 meter. QSL via homecalls, LoTW, Club Log. **EU-153 Zhizhginskiy Isl** Oleg UA1O, Alexei RN1ON, Yuri UA1OC and Alex UA1OJL will be operating as RI1OZ between July 4 and July 10. Operation from 80 to 10 meter using CW, SSB and FT4/8. QSL via RN1ON, Club Log OQRS.

NORTH AMERICA

NA-037 Shemya Isl Fred, KL7FBI is scheduled to leave the island on July 14. Operation during his spare time. QSL direct via home call. See QRZ.com under KB4DMQ. (TNX VE3LYC) https://www.dx-world.net/kl7fbi-shemya-island-na-037/ NA-070 Kiska Isl Rob N7QT, Yuri N3QQ, Hal W8HC and Tim NL8F will be active as KL7RRC from Kiska Island during July 7-12. Activity on HF using CW, SSB and FT8. QSL via N7RO.

NA-112 Bogue Banks Alex, AK4AM is active as call/P until July 3. Operation from 160 to 6 meter using SSB only. His main focus will be on 80, 40 an d20 meter. QSL via LoTW.

OCEANIA

OC-237 Sangiang Isl Look for 7I1S on July 2-4. Operation on HF using all modes. QSL via HA3JB.

Coming up soon

EUROPE

EU-034 Saaremaa Isl Ed, ES2TT will once again be active as call/0 on July 10-11. Operation on from 20 to 30 meter using CW and SSB. QSL via home call.

DXCC timeline



Last update: June 30, 2021 RI10Z A44M P44W YJ8RN/P KL7RRC JW0W VP2V/K3TRM 4X100A OJ0MR P40US OJ0JR ZD7GB J88PI J20EE KL7FBI RI0FF IOTA TEST XT2AW 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 JULY

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announced DX

THE NEWCOMERS

JW, SVALBARD LA6VM, LA7XK and LA9DL will be active between October 6-11. Operation as JW6VM, JW7XK and JW9DL. Also active as JW5X during SAC SSB contest. OSL via homecalls. JW5X via LA5X.

JW, SVALBARD Tom, OH6VDA will be active as JW6VDA from the Clubstation in Longyearbyen. Activity in 'holiday-style' from October 12 until November 1. QSL via ORZ.com.

PJ7, SINT MAARTEN John, W5JON will be active as PJ7/call during October 18-23. Operation from 6 to 40 meter using SSB and FT8. QSL via direct or LoTW.

THE REMINDERS

3DAO, ESWATINI The Russian DXpedition Team plans the next trip as 3DA0RU between October 22 and November 7. Operation with 4 stations on all bands using CW, SSB and FT8 F/H. QSL via R7AL, Club Log and LoTW.

https://dxpedition.wixsite.com/3da0ru

3X, GUINEA

9L, SIERRA LEONE

Jean-Philippe J28PJ will be operating from these location during September 2021. A side trip to AS-037 and AF-051 is possible. More to follow.

5H, TANZANIA Sergey, UT9UU will be operating as 5H3UU from Dar Es Salaam during early August. QSL via home call, LoTW.

5H, TANZANIA Roman, RA/3W3RR (ex-9Q9RR) has announced plans to be active from Zanzibar island, AF-032. Currently no set dates as to when 5H1RR activity may happen due to COVID-19. More info to follow in due course..

5T, MAURITANIA Tom, DL7BO has plans to be active as 5T7OO soon and staying there for a long period. More info to follow. QSL via DJ6TF.

8Q, MALDIVES Nobby, G0VJG will be active as 8Q7CQ from the Reethi Faru resort between September 28 and October 13. Activity from 80 to 10 meter using SSB and digi. QSL via M0OXO.

A3, TONGA Stan LZ1GC and Ivan LZ1PM will be operating as A35GC sometime in 2022. Activity from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB, RTTY and FT8. Logs uploaded during the DXpedition to Club Log. QSL via LZ1GC OQRS, direct or bureau.

C5, THE GAMBIA Luc F5RAV informs that the C5C license has been renewed and it's hoped that he, Gerard F5NVF and Abdel M0NPT will visit The Gambia in October / November depending on Covid travel situation. QRV on CW, SSB, Digi & Sat. QSL via F5RAV. Update to follow...

CEOY, EASTER ISLAND The Polish DXpedition Team with Jan SP3CYY, Jurek SP3GEM, Wlodek SP6EQZ, Janusz SP6IXF, Roman SP9FOW and Piotr SP9RCL will be active sometime during 2021 as XR0YSP. Plans are to be QRV with 3 stations from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB and FT8.

CYO, SABLE ISL Permission for a DXpedition has been authorized with the team: WA2DAN, N2IEN, K5DHY, K5YY, K4UEE, WW2DX, AA4NC, N8AA, N2TU. The CYOC Sable Island DXpedition team will be active sometime 2021-2022 depending Covid. http://cy0dxpedition.net/index.html

E6, NIUE Stan LZ1GC and Ivan LZ1PM will be operating as E6AM during October-November 2022. Activity from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB, RTTY and FT8. Logs uploaded during the DXpedition to Club Log. QSL via LZ1GC OQRS, direct or bureau. **FM, MARTINIQUE** Miguel, EA1BP will be active as FM/call and as TO7O during the CQWW SSB contest. Operation from October 27 until November 5. QSL via home call and LoTW.

- **FP, ST PIERRE & MIQUELON** Chris, VO1CH updates DX-World that due to Covid-19, the TO5T DXpedition to St Pierre & Miquelon has been postponed until August 2022 or 2023. Activity from 160 to 6 meter using CW, SSB and FT8. http://www.to5t.com/ **FP, ST PIERRE & MIQUELON** Eric, KV1J will once again be active as FP/call between September 21 and October 5. Operation from 160 to 10 meter using CW, SSB and digi. QSL via home call, LoTW. http://www.kv1j.com/fp/July20.html
- **FS, ST MARTIN** John, W5JON will be operating as FS/call between October 19 and October 23. Operation from 40 to 6 meter using SSB and FT8. QSL via LoTW or direct. **FS, ST MARTIN** A team with K9NU, W9MK, VE2BWL, FS4WBS and K9EL will once again be operating as TO9W from December 1 until December 10. Operation on HF with focus on 160, 80 and 40 meter with emphasis on Asia on these bands using CW, SSB and FT4/8. QSL via Club Log and LoTW, logsearch on Club Log.
- FW, WALLIS & FUTUNA Tom, KH0/KC0W informs: due to Covid this trip will be postponed. As soon the situation changes Tom will let us know when he departs Saipan. HC8, GALAPAGOS ISL Team HD8M (WB2REM, VO1IDX, KH6M and KE2D) will be operating from Santa Cruz between March 2 and March 11, 2022. http://www.hd8m.com/
- **HC8, GALAPAGOS ISL** A DXfriends DXpedition will take place to San Cristobal. QSL via EA5RM. More to follow.
- **J8, GRENADINES** Brian, GW4DVB will be operating as J88PI between July 23 and August 1. Operation from 40 to 6 meter using SSB and FT8. QSL via home call. https://www.g4dvb.co.uk/dxpedition-2017
- **JD1, OGASAWARA** Koji, JE3GRQ has not yet concrete plans but will be operating as JD1BQI sometime in 2021. This will be a 6 meter EME operation. More to follow. **JW, SVALBARD** Max, ON5UR and team will be active as JW5E between April 18 and April 29, 2022. More to follow soon. QSL via MOURX.
- KH4, MIDWAY ISL Ron, KH6DV announces a trip to Midway during September 2021 for about 2 weeks (if the COVID 19 is under control). Midway Atoll is #14 on the Clublog most wanted list and has not been active for some time. The aircraft used for the logistics flights has been downsized and visitors are no longer allowed to fly to the island. More to follow.
- **KH8, SWAINS ISL** Due to the Covid-19 pandemic it is still impossible to travel to Swains Island. Alex Jennings (owner of island) and the team will start planning again as soon as we are allowed to travel to American Samoa without restrictions (such as 14 days in quarantine).
- **OJO, MARKET REEF** Joseph, AD7D will be operating as OJ0D during the summer 2021. Dates not yet confirmed. More to follow.
- **OY, FAROE ISL** Stian, LB5SH has announced that he will be QRV from Tórshavn, Faroe Islands for approximately one weekend, sometime mid-to-late Autumn 2021. Dates will be announced in good time. Mainly active on SSB and FT8. Bands are uncertain as this depends on which antennas he'll able to bring with and set up at his QTH.
- **P2, PAPUA NEW GUINEA** A DXpedition will take place in honor of the 175th anniversary of the Nikolay Miklouho Maclay. More to follow. QSL via RM0L.
- PJ5, SINT EUSTATIUS John, W5JON will be active as PJ5/call between October 24 and November 1. Operation from 40 to 6 meter using SSB and FT8. QSL direct or LoTW.
- **PYOF, FERNANDO DE NORONHA** We have no firm dates on this activity, but Rodrigo PY2KC mentions he will try to be active from Fernando da Nornoha sometime in 2022 as PY0FFF. Activity depends on Covid situation.
- **PY0F, FERNANDO DE NORONHA** Fabio PY2RMZ and Marcio PU4MDO with maybe 2 others will be sometime during 2021. Operation on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter. QSL via EA7FTR.
- **PZ, SURINAME** Markus, DJ4EL informs DX-World that, outside his PZ5G activity from SA-092, he will be active from Houttuyn, Suriname as PZ5GE during October 9-23. QRV on 40-10m SSB. QSL via LoTW, H/c.
- **S9, SAO TOME** A large team with OK1BOA, OK1CRM, OK1FCJ, OK1GK, OK2ZA, OK2ZC, OK2ZI and OK6DJ will be active as S9OK between October 2 and October 16. Activity from 160 to 6 meter using CW, SSB and digi. QSL via OK6DJ, OQRS and LoTW.

TG, GUATEMALA Dwight, VE7BV will be active as TG9BBV from Sacatepéquez during November. Operation on HF. QSL via home call, LoTW.

TT, CHAD The Italian DXpedition Team will be active as TT8RR (CW, SSB and RTTY) and as TT8XX (FT8) sometime during 2021 from Ndjamena. Nine operators (I1FQH, I1HJT, I2PJA, I2YSB, IK2CIO, IK2CKR, IK2DIA, IK2HKT and IK2RZP) will be active with four stations on all bands. QSL via I2YSB (direct only). http://www.i2ysb.com/idt/

V4, ST KITTS John, W5JON will once again be active as V47JA from Calypso Bay between October 4 and October 18. Operation from 160 to 6 meter using SSB and FT8. QSL via LoTW or via home call direct.

VK9W, WILLIS ISLAND The 2016/2019 CY9C team, and the upcoming Sable Island DXpedition CY0C team, is pleased to announce a new DXpedition. After the Sable CY0C DXpedition, they will go to Willis Island as VK9W, dates TBA. More to follow.

VP9, **BERMUDA** During both the CQWW SSB and CQWW CW contests, Jeff N6GQ will be active as VP9I (SOAB LP). QSL via WW3S.

VP9, BERMUDA CW operation by OZ2I. Participation in the Work All European DX Contest (14-15 August.) Full activity between August 11-16. QSL via homecall. VQ9, DIEGO GARCIA Dates are not confirmed, nor length of activity, but Bob DU7ET could again be active from Diego Garcia as VQ9ET later this year. Update to follow... XT, BURKINA FASO Max, DK1MAX will once again be active as XT2MAX sometime 2021. QSL via EA5GL. More to follow.

YN, NICARAGUA Robert, DL7VOA will be QRV from Guacalito de la Isla as YN5AO. Dates are still in planning phase due to COVID. Operation in 'holiday-style' with a focus on the low bands. QSL via Club Log OQRS. https://www.qrz.com/db/YN5AO **Z6, KOSOVO** A Belgian team will be active sometime in 2021 from Kosovo. QRV from 160 to 6 meter using CW, SSB and digi. QSL via Club Log, OQRS.

Announced IOTA

THE NEWCOMERS

ASIA

AS-100 Akhziv Isl Look for 4X100AI during the IOTA contest (July 24-25). Outside the contest active on FT8 and QO-100. QSL via LoTW.

EUROPE

EU-149 Aegna Isl Ed, ES2TT will be active as call/1 end July or start August. Activity on HF. QSL via home call.

OCEANIA

OC-111 Emae Isl Rod, YJ8RN will once again be active on July 24-26. Mainly active on HF using SSB and FT8. An entry in the IOTA contest is included. QSL via NZ4DX. **OC-194 South Solitary Isl** A team with VK2FM, VK2LL, VK2TEZ and VK4NGN will be operating as VK2FM during August 20-23. Operation on HF with an activity of the AU-0054 lighthouse. QSL via VK2FM.

THE REMINDERS

AFRICA

AF-020 Bubaque Isl The Italian DXpedition Team plan activity from Bubaque Island, AF-020 as J5T and J5HKT during October 7-19, 2021. Four stations QRV on 160-10m; CW/SSB/RTTY/FT8. QSL via I2YSB.

http://www.i2ysb.com/idt/index.php?option=com_content&view=featured&Itemid=101
AF-032 Zanzibar Gab, H3JB will be operating as 5H1IP from September 22 until
October 3. QRV from 160 to 6 meter using CW, SSB and digi. An entry in the CQWW
RTTY contest is included. QSL via home call, Club Log OQRS.

AF-045 Gore Isl A team with 6W1KI, 6W1PZ, 6W1QL, 6W7JX and others will be operating as 6V1A when the situation is possible. Activity on various bands with 2 stations using CW and SSB. QSL via LoTW.

ASIA

AS-014 Masirah Isl Team A44M will be active during IOTA contest from Masirah Island, AS-014. They will also activate the island before and after the contest as A43MI. QSL via Club Loq, LoTW.

AS-025 Iturup Isl The Russian Robinson Team with RZ3EC, R6MG, M0MSV, RX3F, RN3BL and R6LGT will be active as RI0FF from July 28 until August 3. Full information on their website.

AS-080 Pukkyognyolbi Isl Kim, DS3BBC and friends will be operating as D70EXPO during July 22-25. Activity from 80 to 6 meter. QSL via DS3BBC, LoTW or Club Log. **AS-140 Manpura Isl** Manju, S2IAM and Fazlay S2IRC will be active as S2IDX between December 16 and December 22. "Manpura island is some 300km away from the capital and is situated in the south coastal belt of Bangladesh. There is some limited settlement there, and no electricity. We have selected the remote southern tips of the island for our camp. Though the lack of electricity is a challenge for us but at the same time that is a blessing – less interference." https://s21dx.org/

AS-149 Moneron Isl Look for RIOFM between July 15 and July 31. Operation on HF with an entry in the RSGB IOTA contest. QSL via RW6HS.

EUROPE

EU-016 Vis Isl Members of OM7M will be active during the IOTA contest as 9A0CI. **EU-039 Chausey Isl** Look for ON6EF and ON1BN as F/call/P during the IOTA contest. Operation from 40 to 10 meter. QSL via homecalls.

EU-042 Hooge Isl Michael, DG5LAC will be operating as call/P between July 23 and July 27. An entry in the IOTA contest is included. QRV mainly using FT4/8 before and after the contest. QSL via home call, Club Log OQRS, LoTW.

EU-057 Rugen Isl Look for DA2W and DD2CW on July 23-29, including two entries (CW and SSB respectively) in the IOTA Contest. The team includes DL9SCO, ON1DX, ON3UN, ON6KX, ON7TQ and Jef, DD2CW/DA2W. QSL via bureau.

EU-063 Prins Karls Forland A team with EA3HSO, LB1QI, LA5GI, LA7GIA, LA7THA and LA8OM will be active as JW0W between July 21 and July 26. They will focus on 40, 30 and 20 meter depending propagation. Focus on NA and Asia outside the IOTA contest, and will do all modes CW, SSB and FTx. The antennas will be VDAs and verticals at the shore close to saltwater with excellent take-off in all directions! QSL via M0OXO OQRS and LoTW

EU-090 Velika Palagruza Isl A team with 9A3SM, 9A/S55O, 9A/S50X, 9A/S53Z and 9A/S58MU will be operating as 9A21A during the IOTA contest, before and after the contest they sign as 9A/calls from 80 to 10 meter using CW and SSB. Operation between July 17 and July 31. https://palagruza-2021.sejmisce.si/

EU-092 Horse Isl During July 24-26, look for team MS0INT to be active from Horse island (Summer Isles) EU-092. Participation in the IOTA contest as GM5DX. QRV on various bands / modes before and after the contest. Operators: MM0NDX & MM0OKG – others likely to join.

EU-107 Petite Isl Depending Covid, F4FET and F5RAB will be QRV as TM7P between July 23-27. Operation from 80 to 2 meter using CW, SSB and digi. An entry in the IOTA contest is included. QSL via F4FET.

EU-111 Monach Isles A team with G0VJG, G2NF, G4TSH, GM0WED, G4FAL and G0FDZ will be active as MM8C during the IOTA 2021 contest period from Ceann Ear. Outside the contest they will be active as GM3RCV. QSL via LoTW, Club Log OQRS.

EU-121 Bere Isl During the IOTA contest (July 24-25) look for EI4KH and EI5KF as EJ1E. QRV as mixed mode. QSL via LoTW or Direct.

EU-123 Great Cumbrae Isl Look for Gordon MM0GOR as MM1E during the RSGB IOTA contest July 24-25. Entry as SOAB LP for 12 hours operation. QSL via Club Log OQRS.

EU-146 Tiengemeten Isl Dirk, DL1KVN will be active during the IOTA contest as PA/call/P. See the video https://www.dx-world.net/pa-dl1kvn-p-tiengemeten-island-eu-146/

EU-174 Amouliani Isl A large team from the Crows Contest Team will be active as SX8T during the IOTA contest. QSL via SV2CLJ.

NORTH AMERICA

NA-037 Shemya Isl Fred, KB4DMQ announces he will soon be active as KL7FBI from Shemya Island, NA-037. Dates not given. QRV on HF bands. QSL via AA0NN. Full info below from QRZ.com

NA-039 Adak Isl Rob N7QT, Yuri N3QQ, Hal W8HC and Tim NL8F will be active as KL7RRC from Adak Island during July 14-16. Activity on HF using CW, SSB and FT8. OSL via N7RO.

NA-048 Bimini Isl A team consisting AC6ZM, N4RRR, K4KSW, KK4PHD, KN4CV, KN4KJC, N4QBS, NN2T & WA8Y plan activity from the Bimini Islands, NA-048 as C6AHA during October 2021. Up to 5 stations in use. Antennas: Hy-Gain TH3-MK4, Cushcraft MA5B, Delta-loops for 40 & 80m, Buddipoles and verticals. Modes: FT8, SSB & CW. Grid square: FL05.

NA-067 Harkers Isl A team with W4MY, N4MIO, W8WZ, W4MPS, KG4AKV and W4MGT will be operating during the IOTA contest (July 24-25) as W4MY.

NA-168 Grand Isle Allan, KV4T and Bridget KS4YT will again be active from Grand Isle NA-068 during the IOTA contest (July 24-25). Plan is for both stations signing with their home calls. QSL 100% via LoTW & eQSL. Full colour paper QSL available upon request with SASE via home address.

OCEANIA

OC-012 Yap Isl Tom, KC0W has plans to be active from Yap Island as V63COW. Exact dates will be announced as soon as travel restrictions to Micronesia are lifted. QRV on HF using only CW. OSL via home call, no LoTW.

OC-037 New Zealand Sub Antarctic Islands (Campbell Island) The Perseverance DX Group (PDXG) has some unfinished business. Several members participated on the 2012 ZL9 activation that was cut short by weather. After their successful VP8PJ South Orkney Islands 2020 DXpedition, PDXG is pleased to announce their intention to activate the New Zealand Sub-Antarctic Islands (ZL9), Campbell Island. Club Log #24 most wanted, in the 2021-2022 time-frame.

The plan includes 160-10m operation, CW/SSB/RTTY/FT8, with emphasis on 160, 80, 60, 40 and propagation dependent, 12 and 10 meters. However, the Covid-19 lockdown has caused significant delays and uncertainty.

SOUTH AMERICA

SA-092 Papegaaien Isl Markus, DJ4EL informs DX-World that he has new dates for his IOTA DXpedition to Papegaaien Island as PZ5G. He hopes to be QRV from this rare IOTA during October 15-18. Activity on 80-10m using CW and SSB.

- -PZ5G grid GJ15kv (10-80 meter CW and SSB)
- -PZ5GE grid GJ25kr (10-40 meter using SSB only) More on QRZ.com

Lighthouses/ships

EUROPE

Berck-sur-Mer From August 19-22, DK5OPA, DJ5KX, DL1DCT, DL5KA, DL8KR and DJ8EI will activate the lighthouse in Berck-sur-Mer (France) under TM0BSM. See ORZ.com.

Torrevieja Members of the Radio Club of Torrevieja (EC5RKT) will participate in the Museum Ships Weekend 2021 from the submarine S-61 "Delfin" in Torrevieja. Operators

are Georgette/ON6AK/EA5HZC, Jean/ON5JV/EA5HZB, and Paco/ ON6LP/EA5GVJ. QRV as EH5SUB on HF. QSL via EA5GVJ (d/B). (TNX DXNL)

Antarctica base stations

Casey station Paul, VK2PAD is currently stationed at Casey Station, Antarctica where he works as an instrument electrician and trades supervisor. He mentions he runs an IC-7300 and/or IC-705 with a 300W linear amplifier. Antennas are $3 \times 10m$ telescoping fiberglass poles. Operation <u>until November</u>.

King Se-Jong Base As part of the next scientific team, look for Lee, DS4NMJ to again be active from the King Se-Jong Korean Antarctic Base on King George Island, South Shetlands as DT8A in 2021. QRV on FT8, CW & SSB, 100w. QSL via DS5TOS. Dates to be confirmed.

Syowa Station Takumi, JG3PLH is the operator who will be stationed at Showa Research Base, Queen Maud Land, AN-015 <u>lasting through to January 2022</u>. QRV as 8J1RL on HF, CW, Digital Modes. QSL via the bureau to 8J1RL, or direct to JG2MLI.

Special calls

THE NEWCOMERS

CX, URUGUAY CW60ATS marks the 60th anniversary of the Antarctic Treaty System between July 1 and Dec. 31. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, Club Log. (TNX DXNL)

EU, BELARUS EV29L operates around a ham fest taking place <u>from July 2 to 4</u>. QSL via EU4AC (d/B). (TNX DXNL)

JA, JAPAN 8N1961AK draws attention to the discovery of the Akishima whale, a whale fossil, in 1961. QRV <u>between July 4 and Sept. 5</u> on HF. All QSOs will be confirmed automagically via the bureau. (TNX DXNL)

K, USA This year's 13 Colonies Special Event will take place <u>from July 1 (13z) until July 8 (04z)</u> with the callsigns: **K2A** (New York), **K2B** (Virginia), **K2C** (Rhode Island), **K2D** (Connecticut), **K2E** (Delaware), **K2F** (Maryland), **K2G** (Georgia), **K2H** (Massachusetts), **K2I** (New Jersey), **K2J** (North Carolina), **K2K** (New Hampshire), **K2L** (South Carolina), and **K2M** (Pennsylvania). (TNX DXNL)

OE, AUSTRIA The following special event calls honour the memory of Austrian Nobel laureates: **OE120AGD**, **OE120BKC**, **OE120DMT**, **OE120SGU**, **OE120TWA**, **OE120U**, **OE120WDR**, **OE120XFG**, **OE120XGM**, **OE120XKJ**, **OE120XDX**, **OE120XRC** and **OE120YXK**. QRV from July 1 until Nov. 30. Several awards are also available. (TNX DXNL)

OM, SLOVAK REP OM60PPZ celebrates the 60th anniversary of the Presov Pioneer Railway <u>until Sept. 30</u>. QRV on HF on SSB, CW, and digital modes. An award is available as well. QSL only via eQSL. (TNX DXNL)

OZ, DENMARK Carsten/OZ4CG supports the Sea of Peace awar <u>during July</u> with the callsign OZ4SOP on HF (CW only). QSL via ClubLog OQRS, LoTW, eQSL. (TNX DXNL) SP, POLAND The following special event stations commemorate the strike actions of 1980 in the Lublin region <u>during July</u>: 3Z1980LL (QSL via SP8PJL), HF1980LL (QSL via SP8HPW), SN1980LL (QSL via SP8KAF), SO1980LL (QSL via SP8LKSR), SP1980LL (QSL via SP8PAI), SP1980LS (QSL via SP8CHI), and SQ1980LL (QSL via SP0PGA). QSOs count towards the Lublin July 1980 award. (TNX DXNL)

UR, UKRAINE EM60KTS marks the Antarctic Treaty System between July 1 and Dec 31. QSL via IK2DUW (d), Club Log. (TNX DXNL)

UR, UKRAINE Members of the school radio club UT1KWA celebrate their club's 20th anniversary with the callsign **EO20KWA** between July 1 and Dec. 31. QSL via IK2DUW and Club Log. (TNX DXNL)

THE REMINDERS

25th GDXF Anniversary Award <u>until end December</u>

Free PDF award in A4-size for self-printing in three classes: Basic – Classic – Trophy. Each class contains a design with four different images of successful DXpeditions.

Basic: 100 pointsClassic: 500 pointsTrophy: 1,000 points

Each QSO on 160 to 6m (including 60m) in each main operating mode CW, Phone or Digital with a GDXF member counts as 10 points and the QSOs with the special stations **DL25GDXF** (active only between May 1st and July 31st 2021) and **DF0GDX** count 20 each points. At least one QSO with DL25GDXF or DF0GDX is mandatory!

- **4K, AZERBAIJAN** Special callsigns **4J880M**, **4J880N**, **4J880NZ**, **4J880NZM**, **4K880NZ** and **4K880NZM** celebrate the 880th anniversary of the birth of Nizami Ganjavi (1141-1209), born in nowadays Azerbaijan and generally considered the greatest romantic epic poet in Persian literature. https://www.qrz.com/db/4J880NZM (TNX 425DX)
- **9A, CROATIA** Look for **9A10FF** for the Croatian Flora Fauna ARC to use <u>during 2021</u> to celebrate its 10th anniversary. QSL via LoTW or via 9A2MF direct or bureau. (TNX 425DX)
- **9A, CROATIA** The Radio Klub Grada Zaboka (9A0Z) has been active as **9A2CHRIS** since early April to honour the memory of Kresimir "Chris" Kovarik, 9A5K (8 May 1974 27 February 2019). Activity will continue <u>until the end of the year</u>. QSL via LoTW and eQSL; a special QSL card will be downloadable on http://www.9a0z.com/. Past President of the Croatian Amateur Radio Association (HRS) and Vice Chairman of the IARU Region 1 HF Committee, Chris was the author of DXlog.net and a competitor in WRTC 2006, 2014 and 2018. In 2019 he was inducted into the CQ Contest Hall of Fame. (TNX 425DX)
- **9A, CROATIA 9A64AA** is the special callsign that Tom, 9A2AA is using <u>until the end of the year</u> to mark his 64th year in amateur radio. QSL via home call.
- **CT, PORTUGAL** Valdemar, CT7AQD will be active as **CQ750RSI** throughout 2021 to commemorate the 750th anniversary of the birth of Elizabeth of Aragon (1271-1336), queen consort of Portugal and patron saint of the city of Coimbra. QSL via home call. (TNX 425DX)
- **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DP70HSC** will be in use <u>throughout 2021</u> to celebrate the 70th anniversary of the Radio Telegraphy High Speed Club (http://www.highspeedclub.org/). OSL via bureau and LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
- **DL, GERMANY DL21EURO** (special DOK 21EURO), operated by members of the DARC Special Events team, marks two football events to take place across Europe during 2021, the European Championship and the European Championship for players under 21 years old. QRV until July 11. QSL via bureau and DK5ON (d), eQSL. (TNX DXNL)
- **DL, GERMANY** DARC Team SES (Special Event Station) is active as **DP90JMT** <u>until end</u> <u>November</u> to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the Junker Morse Taste. Patented in 1931 and produced until 2014, this iconic straight key is widely considered to be one of the best per- forming telegraph keys ever made. QSL via the bureau, or direct to DL2VFR. (TNX 425DX)
- **DL, GERMANY** Look for **DR165TESLA** by members of DARC OV Mainz <u>during 2021</u>. This to celebrate the 165th birthday of Nikola Tesla. QRV on all bans using all modes. QSL via DK8ZZ, Club Log OQRS, LoTW. Your card is not needed.
- **DL, GERMANY** The Radio High Speed Telegraphy Club (HSC) celebrates its 70th anniversary with the callsign **DK0HSC** (special DOK HSC70) <u>during 2021</u>. A good opportunity to work this and the club's other stations, DL0HSC and DF0HSC, will be during the upcoming HSC Contest. QSL via bureau. http://www.highspeedclub.org/ (TNX DXNL)
- **DL, GERMANY** Uwe, DO2PZ will be active as **DB100AVUS** throughout 2021 to celebrate The 100th anniversary of the AVUS (Automobil-Verkehrs- und Uebungsstrasse,

- "Automobile traffic and training road"). Located in the south-west of Berlin and opened in 1921, it is the oldest controlled-access motorway in Europe. Until 1998, it was also used as a motor racing circuit. QSL via DO2PZ, direct or bureau. (TNX 425DX)
- **DL, GERMANY DR60ANT** (special DOK 60ANT, WAP-314) and **DQ60ANT** (special 60ANT, WAP-316) draws attention to the Antarctic Treaty System, which came into force 60 years ago. QRV <u>until the end of 2021</u>. QSL via bureau, DR60ANT also direct via DL2VFR. (TNX DXNL)
- **DL, GERMANY DP44WCA** (special DOK 44WCA) will be used for WWFF and WCA activations <u>until April 17, 2022</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically with a card. (TNX DXNL)
- **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DR50AGCW** will be active <u>throughout 2021</u> to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Arbeitsgemeinschaft CW DL (Activity Group CW DL. QSL via bureau. (TNX 425DX)
- **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DK30FFO** is active <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the 30th anniversary of DARC's Ortsverband Frankfurt. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau and eventually LoTW.
- **DL, GERMANY** The German DX Foundation (GDXF) celebrates its 25th anniversary with the callsign **DF0GDX** (special DOK GDXF) since Feb. 1. <u>During July</u> they will also put DL25GDXF (special DOK 25GDXF) on the air. An award 25 Years GDXF is available as well. QSL for the special calls go via the bureau. (TNX DXNL)
- **DL, GERMANY** Special callsign **DL65ESSEN** is active <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the 65th anniversary of DARC's Ortsverband Essen. QSL via the bureau and LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
- **DL, GERMANY** The special event station **DA30BRR** (special DOK 30BRR) marks the 30th anniversary of the UNESCO Biosphere Reserve Rhoen <u>until end September</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed automagically with a bureau card and via LoTW. (TNX DXNL) **DL, GERMANY** The special event station **DP90JMT** (special DOK 90JMT) celebrates the granting of a patent for the Junker straight key in 1931. QRV <u>until November 30</u>. An award for CW contacts with that station is available as well. QSL via bureau, DL2VFR (d), ClubLog, eQSL. (TNX DXNL)
- **EA8, CANARY ISL EG8VCAN** is active <u>until July 18</u> to support the Volcanes de Canarias (VCAN) award. QSL via EA8URA. (TNX DXNL)
- **F, FRANCE** Special callsigns expected to be active for this year's Tour de France include: **TM53TDF** <u>until 9 July</u> QSL via F6AEW, **TM66TDF** <u>3-12 July</u> QSL via F6KBR, **TM84MV** [*] <u>until 10 July</u> QSL via F5KPO, **TM84TDF** <u>until 10 July</u> QSL via F5KPO [*] the suffix stands for the legendary Mont Ventoux, which the cyclists will climb twice (!) during the 11th stage on 7 July. (TNX 425DX)
- **F, FRANCE** Franck/F4DTO and Patrick/F4GFE operate as **TM21EURO** <u>until July 11</u>. An award is also available. QSL via F4GFE (d/B). (TNX DXNL)
- **F, FRANCE** Franck/F4DTO and Patrick/F4GFE commemorate Jean de La Fontaine's 400th birthday with the callsign **TM400JF** <u>until July 30</u>. QSL via F4DTO direct or bureau. (TNX DXNL)
- **F, FRANCE TM100SHT** is the special callsign for the Societe Havraise de Telegraphie Sans Fil (F6KOH, https://shtsf.fr) to celebrate its 100th anniversary. Activity during various weekends until September 5. (TNX 425DX)
- **F, FRANCE** The second mission of ESA astronaut Thomas Pesquet (KG5FYG and FX0ISS) on the International Space Station began on 23 April, and members of Radio Club F4KLR are QRV as **TM0ISS** on all bands and modes. The activity runs at various times <u>until October</u> to match the duration of the mission. (TNX 425DX)
- **G, ENGLAND** The Hull & District Amateur Radio Society (HADARS, G3AMW, G8GBY & M0KUH) celebrates its 100th anniversary with the callsign **GB100H** <u>during 2021</u> on 160m-70cm. Operators are Bernard/G0SWO, Bryn/M0GPN, Chris/G1WSA, John/M0JBA, Steve/M0OYR, Tony/G0WJK, and Trevor/G7IWE. QSL via GB100H (d/B) and eQSL. (TNX DXNL)
- **G, ENGLAND** The British Railways Amateur Society (BRARS) celebrates its 55th anniversary as **GBOLMR** throughout the year. The group plans to get on the air also

- during events like Railways on the Air. QRV mainly during daytime hours on 40-10m (SSB, PSK31/63). QSL via bureau or 2E1HQY (d). (TNX DXNL)
- **G, ENGLAND** Special callsign **GB75ISWL** will be active "on most bands and modes" throughout 2021 to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the International Short Wave League. QSL via bureau. https://www.iswl.org.uk/ (TNX 425DX)
- **HB9, SWITZERLAND HB90BERO** draws attention to the beginning of transmissions from the Swiss broadcasting transmitter Beromuenster 90 years ago. The station was closed down in 2008. QRV <u>until July 31</u> on HF (CW, SSB, FM/AM, digital modes) and via QO-100. QSL via Club Log and LoTW. (TNX DXNL)
- **HL, SOUTH KOREA** Special event station **D90EXPO** is active <u>until October 17</u> to promote the 2021 World Military Culture Expo that will take place in the city of Gyeryong on 1-17 October. QSL via LoTW or via DS3BBC; the logs will be uploaded to Club Log. (TNX 425DX)
- **HP, PANAMA** Celebrating the bicentennial of the independence of Panama from Spain, special event callsign **HP200I** is active <u>until end November</u>. Look for activity on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15 and 10 metres SSB and digital modes. QSL via HP1DAV. (TNX 425DX) **I, ITALY** Celebrating the 1600th anniversary of the founding of Venice, traditionally set on 25 March 421, and the 75th anniversary of ARI Venezia (http://www.arivenezia.it/), **II3VE** and **IQ3VE** are active on various bands and modes <u>until end November</u>. QSLs via the bureau. (TNX 425DX)
- **I, ITALY II1DCC** ("Drake & Collins Collectors") is the special callsign for a "vintage activity" to be conducted <u>until 31 December 2021</u>. Marco, IK1RAE and other operators will use exclusively Drake and Collins pieces of equipment, and will be QRV on the HF bands (30, 17 and 12 metres excluded) SSB, CW and maybe AM. QSL via the bureau to IK1RAE. (TNX 425DX)
- **I, ITALY** Members of ARI Belluno are active as **IB3CAI** <u>until end September</u>. QSL via IU3EDK. The special callsign memorializes the 130th anniversary of the local section of the glorious Club Alpino Italiano (the Italian Alpine Club, founded in 1863), as well as the 70th anniversary of the alpine hut "VII Alpini at Pis Pilon", operated by CAI Belluno since 1951. (TNX 425DX)
- I, ITALY Members of AMSAT Italia commemorate Gagarin's flight into space <u>until the end of the year</u> with the callsign **IIOSAT** on HF and via satellite. (TNX DXNL)

 I, ITALY The ARI Fidenza Club (IQ4FE) issues an award "Elettra: The Miracle Ship" <u>in 2021</u>, drawing attention to Marconi's yacht Elettra and its significance in his radio experiments. During May, **II4REG** points to the vessel's registration in 1921. QSL via IQ4FE. (TNX DXNL)
- **I, ITALY** Members of the ARI section Belluno celebrate the 130th anniversary of the Club Alpino Italiano and the 70th anniversary of the mountain hut Alpini in Pis Pilon <u>until end September</u> with the callsign **IB3CAI**. QRV on 80-10m, 6m, and 2m on SSB, RTTY, CW and FT8/FT4. QSL via IU3EDK (d/B). (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8N1MORSE**, operated by members of the A1 Club and the Denpaken Club, celebrates Samuel Morse's 230th birthday and the 120th anniversary of Marconi's first transatlantic transmission <u>until the end of February 2022</u>. For more information see the website. QSL via bureau and Club Log OQRS. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN** Members of the Okinawa Amateur Radio Station celebrate their club's 60th anniversary <u>until the end of 2021</u> with the callsign **8N60HAM**. QSL via bureau. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8N1FT** celebrates the 50th anniversary of Futtsu-City <u>until the end of March 2022</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed with a card automatically, logs will be uploaded to LoTW. (TNX DXNL)
- **JA, JAPAN 8J1ME** (eastern Japan) and **8J3ME** (western Japan) celebrate on all bands and modes the 55th anniversary of the Mitsubishi Electric Amateur Radio Club <u>until end 2021</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau, neither LoTW nor eQSL will be used. (TNX 425DX)
- **JA, JAPAN 8J2I** celebrates the founding of the city Ichinomiya 100 years ago. QRV until the end of February 2022. All QSOs will be confirmed with a bureau card. (TNX DXNL)

- JA, JAPAN 8J100CB celebrates the 100th anniversary of Chiba-City <u>until the end of March 2022</u>. All QSOs will be confirmed with a card automatically. (TNX DXNL) JA, JAPAN Look for 8J1TSN to celebrate the 500th anniversary of Takeda Shingen <u>until end 2021</u>. Operation on HF, VHF and UHF using CW, FM, SSB, RTTY and FT8. QSL via bureau, no cards needed.
- **JA, JAPAN** Members of JARL Joetsu Club is active as **8N0J** <u>until end April 2022</u>. This to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the city of Joetsu, Niigata. All QSO's will be confirmed automatically. QSL direct if needed via JJOAWX. (TNX 425DX)
- **JA, JAPAN** Look for special calls **/60** to mark the Okinawa Amateur Radio 60th Anniversary Festival Activities <u>during 2021</u>. All stations QRV in Okinawa Prefecture may use the suffix. https://www.jarl.com/okinawa/
- JA, JAPAN Promoting and celebrating the Tokyo and Paralympic Games, special stations 8N10LP, 8N20LP, 8N30LP, 8N40LP, 8N50LP, 8N60LP, 8N70LP, 8N80LP, 8N90LP and 8N00LP are active <u>until September 5</u> from various locations across the country (see qrz.com for each station's details). Also active, but especially looking for QSOs with JA stations, will be ten stations 8J#OLYMPIC. The logs will be uploaded to Club Log, and all QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau. Direct cards should be sent to JARL's HQ (Japan Amateur Radio League, Otsuka HT biru 6-kai, 3-43-1 Minami Otsuka, Toshima-ku, Tokyo, 170-8073, Japan). Information about the Tokyo 2020 JARL Commemorative Award and Commemorative QSO Party can be found respectively at
- https://www.jarl.org/English/4 Library/A-4-2 Awards/T2020-e.htm (TNX 425DX)

 JT, MONGOLIA JU100DX, operated by members of the JTDXA Team, celebrates

 Mongolia's 100th anniversary of independence until July 10. QSL via JT1CH. (TNX DXNL)

 LU, ARGENTINA Special event station L21RCA will be active throughout 2021 to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Radio Club Argentino , the national IARU member society, which was founded on 21 October 1921. QSL via LoTW or via LU4AA (direct and bureau). (TNX 425DX)
- LX, LUXEMBOURG Celebrating his 40th anniversary in amateur radio, Andy, LX1DA will be active as LX40DA from 1 September to 31 December. QSL via LX1DA; the log will be uploaded to Club Log and (after the end of the year) to LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
 LZ, BULGARIA Bulgarian members of the High Speed Club (HSC) are active throughout the year as LZ70HSC, supported by the Student Radio Club at the Technical University of Sofia. QSL via LZ2JE. (TNX DXNL)
- **LZ, BULGARIA** Special callsign **LZ70HSC** will be in use <u>throughout 2021</u> to celebrate the 70th anniversary of the Radio Telegraphy High Speed Club. QSL via LoTW. (TNX 425DX)
- **LZ, BULGARIA** Once again Radio Club Blagovestnik (LZ1KCP) will use twelve special callsigns throughout 2021 to honour as many different Orthodox saints: **LZ950TM** (July), **LZ363ER** (August), **LZ305AI** (September), **LZ1337KM** (October), **LZ1470IN** (November) and **LZ14MP** (December). QSL via the bureau or direct to P.O. Box 36, 4300 Karlovo, Bulgaria.
- **OA, PERU** Celebrating the 200th anniversary of Peruvian independence, the Radio Club Peruano will activate four special callsigns until the end of the year: **OC200P** (September), **OC200E** (October), **OC200R** (July and November) and **OC200U** (August and December). QSLs via OA4O. (TNX 425DX)
- **OA, PERU** The Radio Club Asociacion de Radioaficionados del Peru marks the 200th anniversary of Peru's independence with the callsigns **OC4B**, **OC6B** and **OC7B** until the end of the year. QRV on 40, 20, 17, and 15m on SSB and FT8. For QSL information see qrz.com. (TNX DXNL)
- **OE, AUSTRIA OE100BL** is the special callsign issued to the Burgenlaendischer Amateur Radio Club for celebrating <u>throughout 2021</u> the 100th anniversary since Burgenland became an Austrian state. QSL via OE4JHW. Individual operators may also apply for OE100 to replace their prefix (e.g. OE4EIE will be signing OE100EIE). An award will be available, (TNX 425DX)
- **OHO, ALAND ISL OHO100AX** is for the Alands Radioamatorer (OH0A) to celebrate <u>until</u> 9 June 2022 the 100th anniversary of the Aland Islands' selfgovernment from Finland.

The special callsign's suffix is the Internet country code top-level domain of the Aland Islands. (TNX 425DX)

OH, FINLAND OF6ORR draws attention to the 60th anniversary of the steel mill Rautaruukki. QRV <u>until March 2022</u>. QSL via bureau or via OH8DR direct. (TNX DXNL) OH, FINLAND EARN THE HIGHEST RECOGNITION FROM YOUR OH FRIENDS Just contact 100 (one hundred) of your OH friends <u>during 2021</u> and 10 (ten) specially featured Finnish stations to earn the OH Northern Light 100-year certificate (OH-NL-100) and the featured story, explaining the magic of the OH-land and the Northern Lights; Your 100 contact should include 50 OH stations and 50 OF stations, a total of 100. A special OF prefix will be launched to all OH stations on September15th, 2021. Your maximum point value can be 100. The number of your OF/OH contacts. TEN SPECIAL ACTIVITY MULTIPLIERS

SRAL and its members are active in a wide range of Amateur Radio activities and each of the ten multipliers represent some of those activities. The multiplying stations are; OH100SRAL, OH2A, OH0W, OJ0C, OF2HQ, OH2YOTA, OG2B, OH6SRAL, OI3AX and OF9X.

https://tinyurl.com/eb8dmpb2

OK, CZECH REPUBLIC The radio club Chrudim celebrates its 75th anniversary with the callsign **OL75KCR** <u>until the end of the year</u>. QSL via Club Log OQRS. (TNX DXNL) **OM, SLOVAK REPUBLIC** Radioklub Partizanske will be active as **OM77PA** in various contests <u>throughout 2021</u>. The special callsign pays a tribute to Peter Martiska (OM3PA), the club's chairman and leading operator for fifty years, who passed away on 3 January aged 77. QSL via OM4MM. (TNX 425DX)

ON, BELGIUM Look for **OR40NOL** <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the section NOL. 3 Awards will be available: gold, silver and bronze. More on QRZ.com. **ON, BELGIUM** Belgian individual operators and radio clubs are authorized to replace their ON prefix with **OS** <u>until 12 December</u>. This is to celebrate World Amateur Radio Day (18 April) and the 120th anniversary since Guglielmo Marconi's first reception of transatlantic radio signals (12 December 1901). (TNX 425DX)

OZ, DENMARK Special callsign **5P2UEFA** will is active <u>until July 11</u> during UEFA EURO 2020, the quadrennial men's football (soccer) championship of Europe that this year will be hosted by multiple cities, Copenhagen included. Originally scheduled for 2020, the tournament has been postponed because of the Covid-19 pandemic. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW and eQSL, or via OZ1ACB. A special award will be available for working 5P2UEFA/xx stations using different suffix extensions. (TNX 425DX)

PA, THE NETHERLANDS PA21AGR operates in the context of the Amstel Gold Race for professional bicyclists during <u>September</u>, there will be a similar event for amateur racers, also supported by PA21AGR. QSL via PE1RLN. (TNX DXNL)

PA, THE NETHERLANDS Special callsigns **PC375BR** (operated by PC2LR), **PD37500** (operated by PD4L), **PA375KL** (operated by PC2F) and **PA375YN** (operated by PA7ML) will celebrate the 375th anniversary of Brooklyn <u>until the end of the year</u>. Named after the Dutch town of Breukelen, the most populous of New York City's boroughs was settled in 1646 by the Dutch West India Company for their colony of New Netherland. (TNX 425DX)

http://lea.hamradio.si/scc/diploma_30let/index_eng.htm

PA, THE NETHERLANDS Rob/PA0RDY operates around the UEFA Euro 2020 Championship as PF20EURO until July 11. QSL via PA0RDY (d/B). (TNX DXNL) S5, SLOVENIA The Slovenian Amateur Radio Union will celebrate the 30th anniversary of Independence with a special award. For this event only until end 2021, the Slovenian amateur radio stations can use special call signs. Those will add the number »30« into the suffix. For example: S50ZZ will be S5030ZZ, S51A will be S5130A, S57XXX will be S5730XXX etc. In order to obtain the award a foreign amateur radio station must have at least 30 contacts with an S5 stations (regular and special call signs apply), out of which 10 or more with special prefixes (»30«). The use of any band/mode counts for the Award. Applications to scc@hamradio.si

- **SM, SWEDEN** <u>During 2021</u>, **SD400SU** celebrates the 400th anniversary of the city Sundsvall. Operators are the members of the Sundsvall Amateur Radio Club (SK3BG). QSL via SM3NXS (d/B), Club Log OQRS. (TNX DXNL)
- **SM, SWEDEN SK75AT** is the special call for the Foreningen Umea Radioamatorer Club (SK2AT) to celebrate its 75th anniversary <u>until end 2021</u>. The logs will be uploaded to LoTW and Club Log. (TNX 425DX)
- **SM, SWEDEN** Members of the Hisingens Radioklubb (SK6AW) are active as **SE400G** until end July to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the city of Gothenburg, which was granted its founding royal charter on 4 June 1621. QSL via LoTW, paper cards will not be available. (TNX 425DX)
- **SP, POLAND SNOZOSP** and **SN100ZOSP** celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Association of the Voluntary Fire Brigades of the Republic of Poland <u>until February 5, 2022</u>. QSL for SN0ZOSP via SP9ODM, SN100ZOSP via SP9SPJ. (TNX DXNL)
- **SP, POLAND HF100LEM**, operating from Krakow, marks the 100th birthday of the Polish writer Stanislaw Lem <u>during 2021</u>. QSL via SP9PKZ. (TNX DXNL)
- **SV, GREECE** Amateur radio operators from Greece have been granted permission to use special prefixes <u>until end 2021</u> to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the Greek Revolution of 1821 which led to the formation of modern Greece. The special prefixes do not differentiate the call areas: Class 1 licensees can replace SV# with **SX200** (e.g. SX200AEL is SV2AEL, while SX200RMA is SV8RMA and SX200COL is SV9COL), Class 2 licensees can replace SY# with **SY200**, club stations can replace SZ# with **SZ200**. (TNX 425DX)
- **SV, GREECE** 200 Years of Greek Independence Award On air <u>during 2021</u>.

The Greek War of Independence, also known as the Greek Revolution (Greek: Ελληνική Επανάσταση, Elliniki Epanastasi; referred to by Greeks in the 19th century as simply the Αγώνας, Agonas, "Struggle", was a successful war of independence waged by Greek revolutionaries against the Ottoman Empire between 1821 and 1830. Any Greek station, foreigners Greeks or friends of Greece all over the world may join "200 Years of Greek Independence Award". All mode and types of QSO are valid. Award manager is SV2RCK. https://sv2rck.gr/200YEARS/

SV, GREECE SZ200P is a special callsign for the Radio Amateur Association of Western Peloponnese to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the Greek Revolution of 1821. Activity started on 9 April and will go through the end of the year. QSL via LoTW and eQSL. (TNX 425DX)

TI, COSTA RICA On September 15, 2021, the Bicentennial of the Independence of Costa Rica will be celebrated with great fanfare. In commemoration of such an important and historical event, a team of radio amateurs will be activating the special call sign **TI2ØØI** to celebrate 200 years of independent life of Costa Rica.

The goal is to make Costa Rican independence known to the world with pride on its Bicentennial. <u>Activation until October 29</u>.

Bands - 6 to 80m (+ 2m).

Modes - SSB, CW and FT8 (+ FM).

Contacts will be confirmed via LotW, QRZ & QSL manager.

The team of operators will be announced soon.

UA, RUSSIA R21EURO, UE1FA, UE2FA and **UE16FA** are active around the UEFA Euro 2020 Championship <u>until July 11</u>. Several awards are available as well. QSL for R21EURO via ClubLog OQRS and R1II, UE16FA via R1AU, UE2FA via RC1C (d). (TNX DXNL) **UA, RUSSIA R115MUSA** celebrates the 115th birthday of the poet Musa Jalil <u>until August 25.</u> (TNX DXNL)

UA2F, KALININGRAD Special callsigns **RK75AK** (UA2FAK), **RK75FF** (UF2F) and **RK75FU** (RA2FU) are in use <u>until end July</u> to mark the 75th anniversary of Kaliningrad. In 1946 northern East Prussia was annexed as part of the Russian SFSR by the Soviet Union and named the Kaliningrad Oblast. (TNX 425DX)

UR, UKRAINE Nikolay UX0FF celebrates his 50th year on the air with the callsign **EO50FF** <u>during 2021</u>. QSL via UX0FF direct or bureau, LoTW, eQSL.

UR, UKRAINE Special calls **EM150PLU**, **EN150PLU** and **EO150PLU** are active <u>during</u> 2021 to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Lesya Ukrainka (1871-1913),

one of Ukrainian literature's foremost writers. QSL via operator's instructions. (TNX 425DX)

VE, CANADA Members of the Radio Amateur du Quebec Inc. mark their club's 70th anniversary with the callsign **VC2AQC** <u>until July 15</u>. (TNX DXNL)

VK, AUSTRALIA VI50SG celebrates the 50th anniversary of the St. George Amateur Raio Society <u>until the end of 2021</u>. QSL via VK2LE (d/B), eQSL. (TNX DXNL)

VK, AUSTRALIA From our modest beginnings in 1921, Air Force has grown into a potent, World class Air Force which Australia relies upon in both conflict and peace. The men and women of the Royal Australian Air Force have achieved great success in serving Australia and its national interest over the past 100 years.

The RAAF was formed on 31st March 1921, to mark this Centenary the Wireless Institute of Australia (WIA) will be celebrating with two call signs:

VK100AF <u>until end August</u>, which will be used by a team of Radio Amateurs across the bands around Australia.

Stuart Birkin, VK8NSB will be organising the event that will be aired by many Radio Amateurs across Australia as we celebrate this centenary with you. A team of 40+ operators across Australia will operating over the next few months.

QSL Information: A commemorative 4-sided QSL will be printed for direct QSL requests. OQRS Link for Direct & Bureau QSL VK100AF:

https://www.m0urx.com/ogrs/logsearch.php?dxcallsign=VK100AF

Direct: QSL \$2 Via M0URX

Bureau: Please only use OQRS. No Bureau route for incoming Bureau LoTW: will be uploaded.

VR, HONG KONG As one of the most popular icons in modern history, the legendary martial arts master Bruce Lee still inspires people worldwide more then 47 years after his passing. His great achievements transcend territories, time and disciplines. His charisma radiated from the silver screen, his prowess amazed the martial arts community, his profound legacy lives on forever in the hearts of people. To salute the all-time superstar, Hong Kong 1555th Kowloon Group (VR2CS) presents a Special Event

call **VR2BLEE** operated by Igor VR2ZQZ. Operation <u>until end January 2022</u>.

XE, MEXICO Special thanks to Jose XE2N for this information: Celebrate St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe (SP3RN) SK in his festivities throughout the month of August as every year. During that month we will be operating the special callsign **4A2MAX** in various modes. This activity is supported by Mexican ham radio amateurs who join in doing radio to celebrate the holy radio amateur festivities. It will work on all bands and CW, SSB, FT8, FT4, RTTY, PSK31, SSTV, among other modes. You can request a QSL card for the event via OQRS or any questions via 4a2max@xe2n.org

YU, SERBIA Members of the Serbian CW Club are active as **YT165TESLA** <u>until the end of the year</u> to commemorate the 165th anniversary of the birth of Nikola Tesla (10 July 1856). QSL via the bureau, LoTW, or direct to YU1MM. (TNX 425DX)

YV, VENEZUELA <u>During 2021</u>, **YW200BC** commemorates the Battle of Carabobo 200 years ago, which paved the way for Venezuela's independence. QRV on CW, SSB, and digital modes. QSL via YV4KW. (TNX DXNL)

ZL, NEW ZEALAND ZL25NZ is the special callsign for Jacky, ZL3CW to celebrate the 25th anniversary since he immigrated to New Zealand. The callsign is valid <u>for one year</u>. QSL via ZL3CW and LoTW. (TNX 425DX)